

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO  
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Docket Number (Optional)  
**42P16115**

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**7185**

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In re Application of

Minerva M. Yeung

Application Number

10/774,178

Filed

02/06/2004

For: Methods for Reducing Energy Consumption of Buffered  
Applications Using Simultaneous Multi-Threading Processor

Art Unit

2195

Examiner

Caroline H. Arcos

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b))

\$540.00

☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is:

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☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

☒ Per MPEP 1204.01, any previously paid appeal fees set forth in 37 CFR 41.20 for filing a notice of appeal will be applied to the new appeal in the same application as long as a final Board decision has not been made on the prior appeal. In accordance with MPEP, 1204.01, The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

☐ A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed.

I am the

☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest.

See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

☒ attorney or agent of record.

☐ attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) \_\_\_\_\_

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